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CITY COUNCIL ATLANTA, GEORGIA

BY COUNCILOR DOUG ALEXANDER, Mable Home

A RESOLUTION TO URGE PASSAGE OF THE CONSERVATION AND REINVESTMENT ACT (CARA) BY THE UNITED STATES SENATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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WHEREAS,

The United States House of Representatives, through bi-partisan

support of 315 to 102, overwhelmingly passed CARA; and,

WHEREAS,

The Conservation and Reinvestment Act requires Congress to appropriate \$3 billion annually to the Land and Water Conservation Trust Fund which was established in 1964 for

environmental preservation; and,

WHEREAS,

The Land and Water Conservation Trust Fund is an-off budget fund, scheduled to receive \$90 million annually, received zero

funding for four years; and,

WHEREAS,

The nation's urban, state and federal parks, coastlines, and open spaces are in dire need of geological maintenance; and,

WHEREAS,

The Conservation and Reinvestment Act would acquire and restore state and federal parks as well as support local neighborhood parks, preserve historic buildings, open space and farmland and eroding coastlines, protect wildlife and endangered species; and,

WHEREAS,

The Conservation and Reinvestment Act does not require new taxes but derives its funding from royalties currently paid by

offshore oil and gas exploration; and,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

SECTION 1.

THE CITY OF ATLANTA RESPECTFULLY URGES THE UNITED STATES **SENATE** TO **PASS** THE CONSERVATION AND REINVESTMENT ACT.



Deputy Clerk

THE CLERK OF COUNCIL FORWARD COPIES OF THIS RESOLUTION TO SENATORS CLELAND AND COVERDELL, GEORGIA REPRESENTATIVES IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE.

SECTION 3.

THAT ALL RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT HEREIN BE REPEALED, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ADOPTED by the City Council
APPROVED by the Mayor

JUNE 19, 2000 June 27, 2000